

FORTIFYING PHILIPPINES

Great Guns To Guard Subig Bay; New Manila Defences.

WASHINGTON DENIES

Strong Indications of an Understanding Between the Kaiser and Mr. Roosevelt—German Fleet May Come Here—The Unprotected Atlantic Coast.

Manila, Oct. 9.—The engineers and marines have made remarkable progress in rushing the work on the fortifications, despite heavy rains and poor transportation facilities. Twenty-four guns have been installed on Grande Island, at the entrance to Subig Bay, including ten of 6.5 inch calibre, the best navy gun, which are mounted on the heights. Complementary forts have been erected on the mainland. In the meantime satisfactory work is being done on larger and permanent fortifications on Corregidor Island, at the mouth of Manila Bay, and at the torpedo station.

The troops throughout the islands have been actively practising and are now in splendid condition. The local naval squadron was engaged in manoeuvres during last week, and will practise night tactics this week. Thus all branches of the service, though small in numbers, are being made efficient.

Washington, Oct. 9.—While the Navy Department reiterated its denial of the report from London that guns of the Dreadnought type had been purchased by the United States Government in England and shipped to the Philippines, the fact came to light that a supply of Whitehead torpedoes had been bought in England by the Navy Department for use on board American warships.

Recent reports that some sort of amicable understanding exists between the United States and Germany were received in a rumor that the German Government would send a fleet to visit ports in this country as an evidence of friendship and regard.

MRS CHADWICK VERY ILL.

Woman Bank Wrecker Succumbing to Heart and Stomach Trouble.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 9.—Mrs Cassie Chadwick, who is serving a term in the Ohio Penitentiary for wrecking the bank at Oberlin, Ohio, is reported to be gradually becoming



MRS. CASSIE CHADWICK.

weaker. Dr. A. G. Helmick, attending physician, said today: "Mrs. Chadwick is not so well. She appears to be gradually growing weaker. Her temperature is about normal. The cause is stomach and heart trouble. She was delirious for a short time."

PLEADS FOR STRONG NAVY.

Pacific As Well As Atlantic "Our Coast," Says President.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 9.—Of all President Roosevelt's visits to St. Louis his latest was in many respects the most striking. It seemed that the entire Mississippi Valley had taken a day off in order to extend a welcome.

That portion of his speech devoted to the upbuilding of the navy as an instrument of peace was especially well received. When he spoke of the fleet going to the Pacific and then returning, he departed from the printed text of his remarks and spoke of the Atlantic being "our coast" and the Pacific being "our coast." "Both are our home waters," he said, "and some of our friends on the Atlantic need to learn that fundamental fact." There was great laughter at this. "They'll grasp it yet," predicted the President.

Bryan on President's Speech.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 9.—President Roosevelt's idea of centralizing federal control of corporations, as outlined in his speech in St. Louis, was vigorously attacked by W. J. Bryan while in St. Louis to address a men's meeting at the Central Y.M.C.A. Mr. Bryan declared the President's position was not only erroneous but dangerous, in that it would result in weakening the power of the State to protect its people and remove control from the State to the nation.

TO SEE MRS. EDDY.

Countess Passes Through City on the Way To Visit Scientist.

New York, Oct. 9.—Her wish to be near Mrs. Eddy and the source of Christian Science teachings was the cause of the departure from this city for Boston of the Countess of Dunmore, who has suffered a deep bereavement in the death of her husband, The Earl of Dunmore, who



MRS. MARY BAKER EDDY.

died on August 28, was one of the most prominent Christian Scientists in Great Britain.

When attacks were made on Mrs. Eddy by her "next friends," who sought to prove that she was incompetent to manage her affairs, the nobleman was one of the staunchest supporters of her cause. He had contributed large sums of money to the upbuilding in England of the cult to which he was a devoted adherent. The Countess of Dunmore is as earnest a follower of the precepts of Mrs. Eddy as was her husband.

It is reported that she has purchased a house at Brookline, Mass., where she will make her home for several months at a time in order to be near Mrs. Eddy, who resides at Concord, N. H. The Countess came here on a steamship of the Cunard line.

PLANNED TO SLAY.

Wholesale Murder Plot Discovered; Governor Intended Victim.

Denver, Col., Oct. 9.—That Governor Buchtel, David Moffatt, C. B. Kountze, a banker; Lawrence Phipps and Edward Chase, a gambler of prominence, were doomed to die at the hands of dynamites was the astonishing discovery made by accident and reported to the police in time to prevent the killing of Chase and his family.

Enough of the deadly explosive was found by the police concealed near the Chase house to have blown up the State Capitol, and it is considered certain that had not the discovery been made some of the most prominent families in the State would have perished along with Chase and his family.

Kemp V. Bigelow, a clerk employed in a local bookstore, is the hero of the story which reads almost like a dime novel.

Dropping down behind a tree, he crawled through the grass toward two men until in the stillness he could hear their whispers. According to Bigelow, he heard:

"We are going to get Moffatt, Kountze, Buchtel, Phipps and 'Ed' Chase. We are going to get Chase to-night. We have the dynamite already there, and I am to meet Jim on this street now in a few minutes and we are going there to get her to touch her off. Jim is in the park and is coming up this way. You can."

AIRGRAM GOES ASTRAY.

Marconi Operator At Cape Breton "Picks Up" a Message.

Sydney, N. S., Oct. 9.—While the Marconi wireless telegraph experts here were testing several new receiving cones on the tops of the towers at the Port Morien station, an operator in a room below picked up the wireless station at Manila in the Philippine Islands.

The message received was that the United States cruiser Philadelphia had arrived at that point and that all on board were well.

The experiments were made to intercept messages sent by the naval wireless companies. It is asserted that the Marconi service cannot be intercepted nor interrupted.

In explaining this wholly unexpected exploit, the Marconi experts say that the receiving cone at Port Morien, twenty-five miles east of Sydney, must have been in perfect tune with the apparatus at Manila.

Thaw Trial Date.

New York, Oct. 9.—Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Harry K. Thaw, appeared before Justice Dowling in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court and asked that an early date be set for the second trial of his client for the murder of Stanford White, the architect. District Attorney Jerome, in behalf of the State, said that the calendar was in such condition that it would be impossible to call the trial before Dec. 2. Mr. Littleton consented and Justice Dowling fixed the date mentioned for the opening of the second Thaw trial.

WORLD NEWS OF THE WEEK

Covering Minor Happenings from all Over the Globe.

HOME AND FOREIGN

Compiled and Condensed for the Busy Reader—A Complete Record of European Despatches and Important Events from Everywhere Boiled Down for Hasty Perusal.

Pittsburg delegates to the Deep Waterways Convention declared there was never any danger of collision between the President's boat and the vessel chartered by the Pittsburg men.

Arrangements to take the gate receipts of the Jamestown Exposition to repay the balance of the government loan were begun by the Treasury Department.

Effort was made by Augustus Hartje, of Pittsburg, to have the Hartje divorce case reopened in Philadelphia, on the ground that new and sensational evidence had been discovered.

American strike breakers landed at Havana as "tourists," and Cuban labor leaders made charges in court against immigration authorities for permitting the men to go ashore.

Secretary of State Root attended several functions in the City of Mexico.

The Massachusetts Ballot Law Commission was asked to throw out both democratic State tickets nominated at Springfield.

Heated argument arose at the Protestant Episcopal Convention, in Richmond, Va., over a question of changing the name of the Church.

Fourteen million dollars in taxes were paid in New York on the first day on which payment could be made, establishing a new record.

District Attorney Jerome made an attack on what he believes to be Tammany Hall's plan to put "hack politicians" on the bench.

Answering the government's suit in which the appointment of receivers was asked for, the American Tobacco Company and its allied corporations declare they have stimulated competition rather than crushed it.

More revelations on the working of the Galena Signal Oil Company were made public at the Standard Oil investigation.

Colonel David E. Austen testified before the Wainwright Commission that the whole coast artillery is not large enough to man the fortifications of New York in case of war.

Formation of a new political organization, the American party, to fight the spread of Mormonism has begun in the West.

Discussion of the third term question brought out the belief that President Roosevelt could not control the candidate chosen by the republicans.

Virginia members of Congress declared the United States should get rid of the Philippines by granting the island independence.

Hindus driven out of Bellingham and other Puget Sound ports are secretly returning to Washington cities, but few find work to do.

Pittsburg despatches reported the Jones & Laughlin interests about to enter the steel rail making business in opposition to the United States Steel Corporation.

Important developments are expected in the suit of the Buck Stave and Range Company to restrain the American Federation of Labor from boycotting its products, which is to be tried in Washington, D. C.

Dr. and Mrs. Rowland were acquitted at Raleigh, N. C., of a charge of having murdered Mrs. Rowland's first husband.

Thousands of persons in the open air heard the Bishop of London speak from the portico of the Capitol at Richmond.

Cornell University's expedition to Asia Minor reported several new discoveries regarding the ancient people of that country.

Major Henry B. Hersey, chief inspector of the Weather Bureau, advocated the establishing of a war balloon department by the government.

William F. Coxford, a gun dealer, was killed and his wife seriously injured in a runaway on Riverside Drive, New York.

Experiments are to be made in the Cornell University Medical School to find the germ of distemper among dogs and whether human beings are susceptible to it.

That the President has no idea of boosiness in connection with the Taft candidacy was announced in despatches from St. Louis.

The Bishop of London delivered a sermon against "The New Theology" at the Protestant Episcopal Convention in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Katherine Dargatz and her nine year old adopted son were found murdered in a barn near Albany, N. Y., and her husband was arrested.

Only one American steamship company bid for transporting coal for the battle ship fleet at a price within President Roosevelt's stipulation, and

this for only one-tenth of the amount of fuel required.

Manila despatches say the Philippines are in a furor over the plan to sell the islands to the natives.

Senator Borah, of Idaho, was declared not guilty of land frauds.

Lemuel E. Quigg, questioned by W. M. Ivins, revealed more of the secrets of the traffic fights.

The Western Union Telegraph Company made a new contract with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and settled long standing disputes.

FOREIGN NEWS.

A special cable despatch from St. Petersburg states that political strife has reached a dangerous point in Voronezh and the surrounding provinces.

In a special cable message from Berlin it is stated that the Princess Ida Reuss, her sister, the Countess Emma Kunigl, and the Baroness Marie Gragnoni, were endangered in a serious automobile mishap near the Gralz palace.

The previous announcement that Herr von Tschirachy had been appointed as Germany's Ambassador at Vienna has been officially confirmed, says a Berlin special cable despatch.

According to a Tokio despatch, many additional promotions to the peerage are to be made soon by the Imperial Japanese government.

In Paris the Holy Trinity Lodge's new hospital addition was inaugurated, according to a despatch.

M. Tazi, Moorish envoy now in Paris, says that the Sultan seeks to co-operate with France and gives suggestions for organizing the international police.

Secretary of War Taft in an audience with the Japanese Emperor was reported to have extended to him hopes for peace.

SPORTING NEWS.

James R. Keene's Colin won the colt division of the Matron Stake at Belmont Park, and Harry Payne Whitney's Stamina won the filly division of the same stake.

Miss Margaret Curtis, with a record of 95, led the field in the qualifying round for the women's golf championship at the Midlothian links, near Chicago.

The automobile industry abroad is believed to be facing a crisis.

A handicap lawn tennis tournament was begun at Hot Springs with New Yorkers victorious.

RUSH BUMBLEBEES.

Washington Hurries Two Cigar Boxes Full to the Philippines.

Washington, Oct. 9.—In response to a rush order cabled from the Philippines two cigar boxes full of bumblebees are hurrying across the continent bound for the islands.

The Philippines specialists of the Agricultural Department have been making exhaustive experiments in Luzon in the cross fertilization of certain plants. Repeated tests with the common or busy bee showed it to be unequal to the task, but complete success crowned the efforts of the scientists when they tried the bumblebee, the hereditary enemy of the small boy.

The experts made requisition upon the department in Washington for a consignment of the insect, but inability to cage a sufficient number delayed the shipment.

As the season in which the bumblebee can make himself useful in the fertilization is rapidly nearing an end in the Philippines the experts cabled the department to rush them through what they had, and the bees started, provided with every comfort the ingenuity of the Agricultural Department could devise for them on their long journey.

Heroine Gave Her Life.

New London, Conn., Oct. 8.—While Mrs. Mary A. Collins and Mrs. Herick, wife of a coachman in the employ of Frederick T. Mason, were strolling on Charles R. Hanson's wharf at Pequot Avenue, Mrs. Herick slipped and fell into the harbor. Mrs. Collins immediately jumped into the water and attempted to save her companion. Both women were rescued by John A. Scott and other employes of the Scott Wrecking Company, but Mrs. Collins died later from the shock.

Cuban Strikers Attack Trains.

Havana, Cuba, Oct. 8.—Declaring that they will oppose the landing of the strike breakers from the United States who are due to arrive here soon, the striking engine drivers of the United Railway have already resorted to violence. The train from Havana to Catabano was stopped at San Felipe and the fireman compelled to abandon his post. At Catabano another train was stopped by the strikers, the engine crew driven off and the passengers thrown into a panic.

Set Hotel Fence Afire.

Atlantic City, Oct. 9.—William Sinnott of New York was ejected from the Hotel Burton on South North Carolina Avenue, recently. To get even, Sinnott set fire to the fence that surrounds the hotel. He was arrested and when arraigned before the Recorder, he said he did not realize what he was doing and had no intention of committing a crime. He was fined \$15 and ordered to leave the resort.

McDONALD EXPLAINS FLOP

Went Over To Metropolitan Expecting Great Things.

TELLS INSIDE HISTORY

The Inter-Met Merger Surprised Him and He Feels Slighted, Though He Got \$250,000 Cash and \$50,000 a Year Since—Some Subway Financier.

New York, Oct. 9.—John B. McDonald recited before the Public Service Commission the inside history of his flop in the early part of 1905 from the Belmont to the Metropolitan Street Railway interests. Mr. McDonald said that he had had a misunderstanding with Mr. Belmont both in regard to plans for future work and in regard to financial matters, and that he had gone over to the other side under assurances that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company would build new subways if the contract was awarded to them.

Mr. McDonald went ahead upon these assurances and entered into obligations. But one day he awoke to the fact that the Metropolitan and the Interborough companies had merged. Mr. McDonald declared that he knew absolutely nothing about the merger until he saw the announcement on the bulletin boards.

He protested. The Metropolitan Securities Company thereupon paid him \$150,000 for a release from its contract obligations toward the proposed extension of the subway system and \$100,000 for a further release from obligations toward the McDonald project of building two tunnels under the North River. Besides this the Interborough-Metropolitan company entered into a five year contract with Mr. McDonald to pay him \$50,000 a year for the privilege of calling upon him in the future. Thus far Mr. McDonald has been drawing his salary and waiting for a call.

BACON MAY SUCCEED TOWER.

Berlin Hears That Assistant State Secretary Will Be Named.

Berlin, Oct. 9.—It is reported in well-informed quarters that Assistant Secretary of State Bacon will be appointed as Ambassador Tower's successor.



ROBERT BACON.

Mr. Tower has asked to be relieved as United States Ambassador to Germany on account of his private business affairs.

Rescued Morgan's Portrait.

New York, Oct. 9.—The oil painting of J. Pierpont Morgan, which was sold at public auction at the Appraiser's Stores to "Tom" Wallace, a saloonkeeper, at 36 Sixth Avenue, was rescued from the fate for which it was destined by being bought by H. H. Topahyan, a Persian dealer in antiques. Mr. Topahyan went to the saloon and made Mr. Wallace an offer for the picture just as it was being hung in the appointed place behind the bar with fitting ceremonies.

Explosion Kills 4, Injures 20.

Butler, Pa., Oct. 9.—An explosion caused by the upsetting of the metal pot in the No. 1 cupola of the Standard Steel Company, caused the death of four men, fatally injuring twenty, and seriously injured ten others. Nearly all the men were foreigners. The large wheel plant, 150 by 100 feet was demolished, causing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

Dodging Fine, Elopes.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 9.—Mayor Bennett, of Fort Dodge, who recently gained fame by issuing a ukase that old bachelors within the city must wed within a year or pay a fine, has been taken at his word by Nolan Snow, a chauffeur, who eloped with the Mayor's daughter, Mabel. The elopers were wed in Fort Dodge and fled to Des Moines.

Bryan Celebrates Anniversary.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan on Tuesday celebrated the twenty-third anniversary of their marriage by giving a dinner to neighbors and friends.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wholesale Prices of Farm Produce Quoted for the Week.

WHEAT	Oct. ... 105 Dec. ... 110 1/2 May ... 1.13 1/2
CORN	Oct. ... 74 Dec. ... 70 May ... 66 1/2
OATS.—Mixed, @ 5 1/2 c.	
MILK.—4c. per quart.	
BUTTER	
CREAMERY.—Western, extra #	29 1/2
Firsts 28a28c. State dairy, finest 28a28 1/2	
CHEESE	
State, full cream, 1 1/4 Small 15	
Eggs	
Nearby—Fancy 30a32c State—Good to choice 26a28	
Western—Firsts, 22a25	
BREKERS.—City dres'd. 8 1/2a10 1/2 c.	
CALVES.—City dres'd. 9a15c.	
Country dressed per lb. 7a12c.	
SHEEP.—Per 100 lb. \$3.50a5.50.	
HOGS.—Live per 100 lb. \$9.50a12.25.	
HAY.—Prime, 100 lbs., \$1.05.	
STRAW.—Long rye, 50a70c.	
LIVE POULTRY	
FOWLS.—Per lb. a16c.	
CHICKENS.—Spring, per lb. a18c.	
DUCKS.—Per lb. 12a14c.	
DRESSED POULTRY	
TURKEYS.—Per lb. 10a16c.	
FOWLS.—Per lb. 12a14c.	
CHICKENS.—Phila., per lb., 22a24c.	
VEGETABLES	
POTATOES.—L. I. per bbl. \$2.00a2.25	
CUCUMBERS.—per bbl. \$1.30a2.25	
ONIONS.—White, per bbl. \$2.50a3.00	
LETTUCE.—per basket, 50c a \$1.75.	
BEETS.—per 100 bunches \$1.00a1.25	
GREEN CORN.—per 100, 50c a \$1.50	
TOMATOES.—per box, 25a75c.	

FINANCIAL.

The last week on the Paris Bourse, a despatch says, confirmed the opinion of the Herald's financial correspondent that greater activity depends on more steadiness in Wall street and proof that copper will not go lower.

The London stock market, according to a cable, is quite strong. No fears are felt regarding the monetary situation, despite the talk of gold imports.

BASEBALL LEAGUE SUMMARIES.

Final Standing of the Clubs.

	National.		
	W.	L.	P. C.
Chicago	107	45	.704
Pittsburg	91	63	.591
Philadelphia	83	64	.566
New York	82	71	.536
Brooklyn	65	83	.439
Cincinnati	66	87	.431
Boston	58	90	.392
St. Louis	52	101	.340

American.

	W. L. P. C.		
	W.	L.	P. C.
Detroit	92	58	.613
Philadelphia	88	57	.607
Chicago	87	64	.576
Cleveland	85	67	.559
New York	70	78	.473
St. Louis	69	83	.454
Boston	60	90	.396
Washington	49	102	.326

Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler.



This distinguished New Yorker, who is mentioned in the South as a possible nominee of the Democratic party for president, will be a guest of the Georgia State Fair in Atlanta.

Mitchell Seriously Ill.

Indianapolis, Oct. 9.—The condition of John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, is giving his friends here much concern, and some of those who are associated with him express the belief that he will never again be well.

He has never fully recovered from the operation he underwent last spring. There have been strong symptoms lately of appendicitis and it is probable that another operation may be necessary.

School Teachers On Strike.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 4.—The Board of Education of Syracuse, Meigs county, reported to State School Commissioner Jones that the teachers employed there are out on a strike. The law requires that teachers shall be paid not less than \$10 a month, but the Board of Education of Syracuse having made a minimum school levy of twelve mills, finds itself unable to pay more than \$25 a month.

Jersey Pie To Cost More.

Jersey City, Oct. 4.—The Boss Bakers' Association of Hudson County held a meeting in Jersey City and later gave notice that on Jan. 1 next they will raise the price of bread, pies, and cake 20 per cent. They say the advance is necessary on account of the increased cost of material and labor.